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Application No. 10/619,497-Conf. #8847	Filing Date July 16, 2003	Examiner P. A. Darno	Art Unit 2163

Applicant(s): Masajiro Iwasaki

Invention: IMAGE CLASSIFICATION METHOD, IMAGE FEATURE SPACE DISPLAYING METHOD, PROGRAM, AND RECORDING MEDIUM

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated July 21, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-27, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 14 of this paper.